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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: Heinz, et al.)
Serial No.: 10/001,524) Examiner: Wang, Quan Zhen
Filed: October 24, 2001))
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AN ETHERNET OPTICAL AREA NETWORK) Art Unit: 2633

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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO RULE 312

Sir:

In response to the notice of allowance mailed August 24, 2006, please examine the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks. The issue fee transmittal accompanies this amendment.

IN THE TITLE:

Please change the title to: --ETHERNET OPTICAL AREA NETWORK--.